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SUBJECT: GUINEA BISSAU/SOVIET FISHERIES COOPERATION

1. THE NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE (NMFS), NOAA,
CO;MERCE HAS LEARNED THAT THE SOVIET UNION IS REPORTEDLY
EXERCISING CONSIDERABLE INFLUENCE OVER THE FISHERY AFFAIRS
OF GUINEA BISSAU (GB). THIS INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED
DURING RECENT US-EUROPEAN COMMUNITY (EC) FISHERY (GIFA)
NEGOTIATIONS. U.S. WAS TOLD THAT EC SENT A FISHERIES
DELEGATION TO VARIOUS AFRICAN COUNTRIES INCLUDING GB TO
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NEGOTIATE EC FISHING RIGHTS IN AFRICAN-CLAIMED WATERS.
THE DELEGATES WERE TOLD THAT THERE IS A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER
OF SOVIET FISHERY ADVISORS IN GUINEA BISSAU AND THAT THE
SOVIETS WERE FREQUENTLY CONSULTED DURING EC TALKS. NMFS
WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S CONFIRMATION AND ANY ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION.

2. NMFS WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE RECEIVING INFORMATION ON THE JOINT GUINEA BISSAU/SOVIET FISHERIES COMPANY, ESTRELA DO MAR, AND ON THE GENERAL STATE OF FISHERY RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

3. ALSO OF INTEREST WOULD BE THE RESULTS OF EC NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE GGB ON FISHERY RIGHTS WITHIN ITS 150-MILE TERRITORIAL SEA.

4. UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION IS PREFERRED; IF CLASSIFICATION IS REQUIRED, PLEASE SEPARATE FROM UNCLASSIFIED.
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